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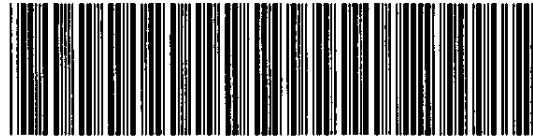
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**SUBJECT:** THE RESERVE AT ISLAND ESTATES CONDOMINIUM ASSOCIATION, INC.  
(PROPOSED CORPORATE NAME – MUST INCLUDE SUFFIX)

Enclosed is an original and one (1) copy of the Articles of Incorporation and a check for :

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☐ \$78.75  
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& Certified Copy

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**FROM:** John M. Brunson, Esquire  
Name (Printed or typed)

4250 Central Avenue  
Address

Saint Petersburg, FL 33711  
City, State & Zip

(727) 828-0580  
Daytime Telephone number

jmb@jmbesquire.com  
E-mail address: (to be used for future annual report notification)

**NOTE: Please provide the original and one copy of the articles.**

**ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION**

**OF**

**THE RESERVE AT ISLAND ESTATES CONDOMINIUM ASSOCIATION, INC.**

**(A Florida Not-for-Profit Corporation)**

The undersigned incorporators by these articles associate themselves for the purpose of forming a corporation not for profit under the laws of the State of Florida, and adopt the following articles of incorporation:

**ARTICLE I. NAME**

The name of this corporation is THE RESERVE AT ISLAND ESTATES CONDOMINIUM ASSOCIATION, INC. For convenience, the corporation shall be referred to in this instrument as the "Association," these articles of incorporation as the "Articles," and the By Laws of the Association as the "By Laws."

**ARTICLE II. TERM OF EXISTENCE**

The Association shall have perpetual existence.

**ARTICLE III. PURPOSE**

This Association is organized for the purpose of providing an entity under the Florida Condominium Act ("the Act") for the operation of a condominium located in Pinellas County, Florida, and known as THE RESERVE AT ISLAND ESTATES, A CONDOMINIUM ("the Condominium"), to be created under the Declaration of Condominium ("the Declaration").

**ARTICLE IV. INITIAL PRINCIPAL OFFICE AND REGISTERED AGENT**

The street address of the initial principal office of this corporation is 2325 Ulmerton Road, Suite 20, Clearwater, Florida 33762, and the name of the initial registered agent of this corporation is JOHN M. BRUNSON, ESQUIRE, at 4250 Central Avenue, Saint Petersburg, Florida 33711.

**ARTICLE V. PURPOSE AND POWERS**

Section 1 – Purpose. The purpose for which the Corporation is organized is to provide an entity for the operation and governance of The Reserve at Island Estates, A Condominium (the "Condominium"), located upon lands in Pinellas County, Florida, said property being described in the duly recorded Declaration of Condominium applicable thereto. The Corporation shall not be operated for profit and shall make no distribution of income to its members, directors, or officers.

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Section 2 – Powers. The Corporation shall have all of the common-law and statutory powers of a corporation not-for-profit which are not in conflict with the terms of these Articles.

The Corporation shall have all of the powers and duties contemplated in the Declaration of Condominium and the Florida Condominium Act together with all of the powers and the duties reasonably necessary to operate the Condominium pursuant to the Declaration as it may be amended from time to time, and such other documents or agreements that may exist from time to time pertaining to the Condominium. The powers and duties, which the By Laws may set forth in more detail, shall include, but shall not be limited to, the following specific powers and duties:

(a) To make and collect Assessments against members as Unit Owners to defray the costs, expenses and losses of the Condominium, and to make such other Special Assessments against Unit Owners as the Declaration of Condominium shall provide, and to enforce such levy of Assessments through a lien and the foreclosure thereof or by other action pursuant to the Declaration of Condominium.

(b) To use the proceeds of the Assessments in the exercise of its powers and duties, and as provided in the Declaration of Condominium.

(c) To maintain, repair, replace and operate the Condominium Property.

(d) To purchase insurance and enter into contracts for services, utilities and other purposes as may be deemed appropriate.

(e) To reconstruct improvements after casualty and further improve the Condominium Property.

(f) To make and amend reasonable rules and regulations.

(g) To perform such functions as may be specified in the Declaration of Condominium and the By Laws.

(h) To enforce by legal means the provisions of the Florida Condominium Act, the Declaration of Condominium, these Articles, the By Laws of the Corporation and such rules and regulations as may be promulgated.

(i) To employ personnel to perform the services required for proper operation of the Condominium.

(j) To lease, maintain, repair and replace the Common Elements as same are defined in the Declaration of Condominium, and to enter into license agreements for the use of parking spaces as contemplated in the Declaration.

(k) To acquire or enter into agreements acquiring leaseholds, memberships or other possessory or use interests in lands or facilities and to pay the rental, membership fees, operational, replacement and other expenses as Common Expenses.

(l) To purchase a Unit or Units of the Condominium for any purpose and to hold, lease, mortgage or convey such Units on terms and conditions approved by the Board of Directors.

(m) To exercise such other power and authority to do and perform every act and thing necessary and proper in the conduct of its business for the accomplishment of its purposes as set forth herein and as permitted by the applicable laws of the State of Florida.

(n) To contract for the management and maintenance of the Condominium Property and to authorize a management agent to assist the Corporation in carrying out its powers and duties by performing such functions as the submission of proposals, collection of Assessments, and other sums due from Unit Owners, preparation of records, enforcement of rules and maintenance, repair and the replacement of the Common Elements with funds as shall be made available by the Corporation for such purposes. The Corporation and its officers shall, however, retain at all times the powers and duties granted by the Condominium documents and the Florida Condominium Act, including, but not limited to, the making of Assessments, promulgations of rules and execution of contracts on behalf of the Corporation.

(o) To bring suit as may be necessary to protect the Corporation's interests, the interests of the Corporation's Members, or the Condominium Property.

#### **ARTICLE VI. DEVELOPER**

ULMERTON ENTERPRISES, INC., a Florida corporation, shall make and declare or has made and declared a certain Declaration of Condominium submitting to condominium ownership certain property described therein under the terms, covenants, and conditions expressed more fully therein; the Condominium is to be known as THE RESERVE AT ISLAND ESTATES, A CONDOMINIUM.

#### **ARTICLE VII. TERM**

The term for which this Corporation shall exist shall be perpetual.

## **ARTICLE VIII. INCORPORATOR**

The name and address of the Incorporator of this Corporation is as follows:

John M. Brunson, Esquire  
Attorney and Counselor at Law  
4250 Central Avenue  
Saint Petersburg, Florida 33711

## **ARTICLE IX. OFFICERS**

The officers of the Corporation shall be a President, Vice President, Secretary and Treasurer and such other officers as the Board of Directors may from time to time determine. The officers of this Corporation shall be elected for a term of one year, and until a successor shall be elected and qualified, by the Board of Directors at their annual meeting and in accordance with the provisions provided therefor in the By Laws of the Corporation. Until transfer of the control of the Corporation to the Unit Owners other than the Developer has been accomplished, the officers need not be directors or members.

The names of the persons who shall serve as the first officers are:

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| Fred B. Bullard, Jr. | President           |
| Karol K. Bullard     | Vice President      |
| Karol K. Bullard     | Secretary-Treasurer |

## **ARTICLE X. DIRECTORS**

The affairs of the Corporation shall be managed by a Board of Directors composed of not less than three (3) directors. Until control of the Corporation is transferred to Unit Owners other than the Developer, the Developer shall be entitled to designate non-member directors to the extent permitted by the Florida Condominium Act. Except for non-member directors appointed by the Developer, all directors shall be elected at the annual membership meeting of the Corporation.

The first Board of Directors shall be comprised of three (3) persons who shall serve until their respective successors are elected (or designated) and qualified. The names and addresses of the members of the Board of Directors who shall serve as the first directors are:

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| Fred B. Bullard, Jr. | 2325 Ulmerton Road, Suite 20<br>Clearwater, Florida 33762 |
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Karol K. Bullard

2325 Ulmerton Road, Suite 20  
Clearwater, Florida 33762

Fred B. Bullard, III

2325 Ulmerton Road, Suite 20  
Clearwater, Florida 33762

#### **ARTICLE XI. BY LAWS**

The initial By Laws of the Corporation shall be attached as an exhibit to the Declaration of Condominium for the Condominium and shall be adopted by the first Board of Directors.

#### **ARTICLE XII. MEMBERS**

Membership in the Corporation shall automatically consist of and be limited to all of the records owners of Units in the Condominium. Transfer of the Unit ownership, either voluntary or by operation of law shall terminate membership in the Corporation and said membership is to become vested in the transfer. If Unit ownership is vested in more than one (1) person then all of the persons so owning said Unit shall be members eligible to hold office, attend meetings, etc. The Owner of a Unit is entitled to cast one (1) vote on Association matters. The manner of designating voting members and exercising voting rights shall be determined by the By Laws.

#### **ARTICLE XIII. AMENDMENTS**

Amendments to these Articles of Incorporation shall be made in the following manner:

(a) The Board of Directors shall adopt a resolution setting forth the proposed amendment and, if there are members of the Corporation, the Board shall direct that it be submitted to a vote at a meeting of the members, which may be either the annual or a special meeting. If there are no members of the Corporation, the amendment shall be adopted by a vote of the majority of directors and the provisions for adoption by members shall not apply.

(b) Written notice setting forth the proposed amendment or a summary of the changes to be effected thereby shall be given to each member of record entitled to vote thereon within the time and in the manner provided herein for the giving of notice of meetings of members. If the meeting is an annual meeting, the proposed amendment or such summary may be included in the notice of such annual meeting.

(c) At such meeting, a vote of the members entitled to vote thereon shall be taken on the proposed amendment. The proposed amendment shall be adopted upon receiving the affirmative vote of a majority of the total Voting Interests.

No amendment to these Articles of Incorporation shall be made which affects any of the rights and privileges provided to the Developer in the Condominium documents without the written consent of the Developer.

#### ARTICLE XIV. INDEMNIFICATION

The Corporation shall indemnify every director and every officer, his heirs, executors, and administrators, against all loss, cost and expense reasonably incurred by him in connection with any action, suit or proceeding to which he may be made a party by reason of his being or having been a director or officer of the Corporation, including reasonable counsel fees, except as to matters wherein he shall be finally adjudged in such action, suit or proceedings to be liable for or guilty of gross negligence or willful misconduct. The foregoing rights shall be in addition to and not exclusive of all other rights to which such director or officer may be entitled.

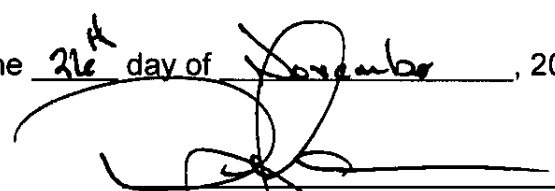
IN WITNESS WHEREOF the subscribing incorporator has hereunto set his hand and seal and caused these Articles of Incorporation to be executed this 26 day of November, 2013.

  
JOHN M. BRUNSON, ESQUIRE, Incorporator

STATE OF FLORIDA     )  
COUNTY OF PINELLAS    )

Before me, the undersigned authority, personally appeared JOHN M. BRUNSON, ESQUIRE, who [☒] is personally known to me or who [☐] produced \_\_\_\_\_ as identification, and who was sworn and says that the foregoing is true.

Sworn to before me on the 26<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2013.

  
NOTARY PUBLIC -- STATE OF FLORIDA

(Seal)



DEIRDRE LAWRENCE  
MY COMMISSION # FF 024053  
EXPIRES: October 4, 2017  
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**ACCEPTANCE OF DESIGNATION OF REGISTERED AGENT**

The undersigned, having been named as registered agent and to accept service of process for THE RESERVE AT ISLAND ESTATES, A CONDOMINIUM, hereby accepts the appointment as registered agent and agrees to act in such capacity. The undersigned further agrees to comply with the provisions of all statutes relating to the proper and complete performance of his duties and is familiar with and accepts the obligations of his position as registered agent.

  
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JOHN M. BRUNSON, Registered Agent